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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

PETER KLEIDMAN,

Plaintiff,

v.

JONATHAN GASKIN; et al.

Defendants.

Case No. 4:22-cv-06355-HSG

**STIPULATION AND ORDER  
REGARDING HEARING ON  
MOTION TO DISMISS, MOTION FOR  
SANCTIONS, AND VEXATIOUS  
LITIGANT MOTION**

Hon. Haywood S. Gilliam, Jr.

Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 7-1(b), respectively by and through Plaintiff *pro se* and Defendants' attorneys of record, Plaintiff PETER KLEIDMAN ("Plaintiff") and Defendants JONATHAN GASKIN, BERNIE MURPHY, MICHAEL MAIDY, TIMOTHY COX, MARTIN PICHINSON, SHERWOOD PARTNERS, INC, U.S. SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY and LESLIE QUIST (the "Initial Defendants"), hereby stipulate and request that U.S. Specialty's Motion to Dismiss [D.E. 69], Motion for Sanctions Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 11 [D.E. 60], and Motion to Declare Peter Kleidman a Vexatious Litigant [D.E. 25], and the other Initial Defendants' Joinders thereto, be decided on the papers without oral argument, unless the Court concludes that oral argument would be helpful to the resolution of one or more of the same motions.

NOW, THEREFORE, based on the foregoing, the parties hereby stipulate and move the Court for an order holding that the above-referenced motions will be determined without oral argument, on the papers, such that the June 15, 2023 hearing will not be going forward as noticed.

**IT IS SO STIPULATED, SUBJECT TO COURT APPROVAL.**

Dated: June 1, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: June 1, 2023

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Plaintiff

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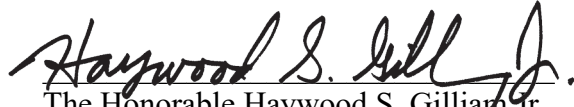
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<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 5-1, the filing attorney certifies that he or she has on file original signatures (in the form of email authorizations) for any signatures indicated only with a conformed signature.

1 **PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED**

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3 DATED: 6/5/2023

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6 The Honorable Haywood S. Gilliam Jr.  
7 United States District Judge  
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